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**MEAT Livestock & Grain Market News
Des Moines, IA
515 284-4460**

Week Ending 20-June-97

Beef	IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lds	Avg	Change
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3						
	113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119 Lbs	15.5	73.18	0.30
	115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	61.5	84.86	2.15
	120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	21.5	92.48	4.22
	123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	2.0	154.00	-72.00
	126	Chuck, 3-way	60-102 Lbs	----	----	----
	160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	16.5	94.27	1.43
	161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	33.5	104.62	2.37
	168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	38.5	121.90	5.84
	170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	26.5	90.66	2.96
		Coarse ground Blend 80%		6.0	87.83	5.63
		Coarse ground Blend 85%		5.5	98.27	6.85
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items						
		Boneless Chuck 85%			98.40	1.20
		Top Inside Round 12-16 Lbs			141.20	-5.00
Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh						
		90% Chemical Lean		47.0	96.34	14.60
		50% Chemical Lean		132.0	47.96	10.30



Pork



Pork Loins, Regular, Fresh 1/4" Trim						
		14-18 Lbs	71.0	114.04	-3.23	
		Boston Butt, 4-8 Lbs	21.0	96.43	14.97	
		Spareribs, Fresh 1.5-3.5 Lbs	3.0	149.00	10.33	
Ham, Skinned Selected, Fresh						
		17-20 Lbs	11.5	71.30	1.30	
		20-26 Lbs	92.5	65.69	0.31	
Belly, Sdls Skin-on, Fresh						
		14-16 Lbs	23.5	79.30	2.24	
		16-18 Lbs	8.0	76.69	0.74	
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh						
		72% Chemical Lean	15.5	67.65	-1.10	

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



**DAIRY Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
608 224-5080**

Week Ending 20-June-97

Butter

Print butter, chips/patties, national price range, dollars per lb

This Week	Last Week
1.2200 - 1.5500	1.3150 - 1.5500

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per lb

This Week	Last Week
1.3175 - 1.6900	1.3175 - 1.6900

Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price

Price paid by milk processing plant, dollars per gallon, May average

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
0.9200	-0.1562	-0.2640



**POULTRY Poultry Market News
& EGGS Des Moines, IA
515 284-4471**

Week Ending 20-June-97

Broilers/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered
New York 59.24 Chicago 52.06 Los Angeles 65.27

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound
Northeast (Delivered) Breasts 179.82 Leg Quarters 28.82
Southern States (FOB) Breasts 172.99 Leg Quarters 25.44

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-cook, Frozen, Per Lb, Delivered
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-22 Lbs
Eastern 68.70 66.45
Central 66.50 65.00
Western 68.90 65.95

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, in Cartons, in Volume, Per Dozen, Delivered
Northeast 66.38 Metropolitan Areas
Southern 61.90 New York 67.00-70.00
Midwest 57.77 Chicago 60.00-65.00
Western 73.39 So. California 71.00-78.00

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound
Whole 35.00-38.00 Whites 25.00-27.00 Yolks 68.00-70.00
Frozen, 30 Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb
Whole Eggs Whites
Eastern (Less than Trucklot) 52.00-60.00 42.00-52.00
Central 50.00-54.00 37.00-40.00
So. Calif. (Less than Trucklot) 56.00-59.00 43.00-46.00
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Containers
Whole 1.77-1.95 Yolks 1.72-1.95 Blends 1.32-1.45



**FRUIT Fruit & Vegetable Market News &
VEGETABLE Washington, DC
202-720-2745**

Week Ending 20-June-97

FRUITS

Apples, Golden Delicious, WA ExFancy, Controlled Atmosphere Storage, 100S Containers TrayPack, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District WA 14.00
Cantaloups, 12S, 1/2 Containers, Imperial, Palo Verde & Coachella Valley, CA & Central / Western AZ 5.25
Grapes, US One, Thompson Seedless, 18 lb lugs bagged, Coachella Valley, CA 11.00
Peaches, CA Well Matured Yellow Flesh, 25 lb ctn lse, 60-64 sz Central & Southern San Joaquin Valley, CA 5.50
Plums, CA Well Matured, Santa Rosa, 28 lb ctns lse, 70 series Central & Southern San Joaquin Valley, CA 5.50
Strawberries, Medium-Large, Flats 12 1-pt baskets, Central Coast, CA 9.90

VEGETABLES

Broccoli, Bunched, Containers, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 7.35
Cabbage, Round Green Type, Medium-Large 1 3/4 Bu Crts & 50 lb Ctns, Eastern North Carolina 6.50
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District CA 6.00
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Containers, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 6.80
Onions, Yellow, US One Jumbo 50 lb Sks, San Joaquin Valley, CA 7.25
Peppers, Bell Type Green, Large 1 1/9 Bu Containers/Cartons, South Georgia 6.00
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, US One 2" or 4-oz Min, 70S Cartons per Cwt, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District Idaho 11.00
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, 85% US One or Better, Large 25 Lb Containers West District, Florida 7.00

Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit